

## Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, JUNE 22, 1908.

## Local Matters.

## Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:35 and sets at 7:29.  
High water at 3:07 a. m. and 3:52 p. m.

## Weather Probabilities.

For this section generally fair, continued warm tonight and Tuesday; variable winds.

## DECLARED THE NOMINEE.

At a meeting held at the office of Mr. G. L. Boothe on Saturday evening last of the democratic committee of the Eighth district there were present all the members but Mr. G. S. Shackelford, viz: G. L. Boothe, of Alexandria; R. T. Green, of Calpeper; R. H. McIntyre, of Warrenton; and Paul E. Garrett, of Loudoun. Mr. McIntyre presided. Mr. G. S. Shackelford was re-elected chairman and Mr. R. T. Green, secretary. The vote cast in the primary election held on the 9th instant was canvassed and found to be as follows:

CARLIN, GORDON.		
Alexandria city.....	1,583	56
Alexandria county.....	357	110
Fairfax county.....	919	263
King George.....	1,023	615
Calpeper.....	1,223	454
Fauquier.....	964	721
Orange.....	209	478
Prince William.....	559	253
King George.....	137	55
Stafford.....	259	267
Louisiana.....	105	789
Total.....	6,884	3,999
Carlin's majority.....	2,885	

Mr. C. C. Carlin was thereupon declared to be the democratic nominee for Congress from this district.

## RECTOR RESIGNS.

Rev. W. Strother Jones, D.D., rector of St. Michael's Episcopal church, Trenton, N. J., has resigned, and September 1 will become rector of St. Paul's, the leading Episcopal church in Erie, Pa.

Had Dr. Jones continued at St. Michael's until October 1 he would have completed twelve years' service there. Dr. Jones was born at "Oak Hill," Fauquier county, Virginia, the former home of the distinguished Chief Justice Marshall, of the United States supreme court, who was the clergyman's great-grandfather. He is a brother of Dr. T. M. Jones, of Alexandria, and formally lived in this city. He was graduated from Washington and Lee university, in Virginia, which honored him with the degree of doctor of divinity in 1894. It was in Virginia also that Dr. Jones was ordained.

In all probability the last official act of Dr. Jones in Trenton, outside St. Michael's, will be the invocation he will deliver at the unveiling of the Roebeling statue, June 30.—[Trenton, N. J., Daily States Gazette]

## PREPARING FOR TETANUS.

Warning is given by the Public Health and Marine Hospital Service in Washington to parents and to the medical fraternity to prepare against lockjaw, following the usual crop of toy pistol and firecracker injuries of Fourth of July celebration. A table shows there were 786 cases of tetanus during the past five years, 80 per cent of the tetanus cases following blank cartridge injuries. These are ghastly figures, and they should appeal not only to parents, but to the authorities of all cities. There are plenty of laws in this city and State against the use of explosives, and now that the Sunday laws are being enforced it would be well if the authorities eliminated the toy pistol by enforcing the law against those who sell this deadly toy; also to see that the Fourth of July is observed in a sane manner and without the ear-splitting explosives, which are generally in evidence on that day.

## OBSERVANCE OF SUNDAY.

Yesterday was a virtual day non in Alexandria. Apart from the delivery of milk, newspapers and meats which grocerymen had kept on ice, the observance of the Sunday law was almost general. Large numbers of people left the city, some spending the day at points on the electric railway, others at nearby excursion resorts and numbers in Washington, or in traveling up and down on the ferryboat. Two persons were before the Police Court this morning charged with conducting business yesterday. One was a druggist whose place of business is on upper King street. The other was that of a groceryman in the southwestern part of the city. It being their first offense they were fined \$2 each.

## DEATH OF MRS. GAMMON.

Mrs. Willie B. Gammon, wife of Rev. Samuel B. Gammon, Presbyterian missionary to Brazil, died at Rural Retreat, Wythe county, Va., yesterday. The deceased, besides her husband, leaves a daughter. Mrs. Gammon had been ill for some time, and recently her condition became so serious that it was necessary for her to obtain surgical aid. She had many acquaintances in Alexandria, having often accompanied her husband to this city. Rev. J. E. Sevier, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, left last night for Rural Retreat for the purpose of attending the funeral.

## THREE PERSONS DROWNED.

Yesterday morning Alexander Fowler, fifty years old, colored, a watchman employed at Riley's wharf, Washington, attempted to jump from the wharf to the deck of the steamer T. V. Arrowsmith. He slipped and plunged into the water and was drowned. Lewis Johnson, 12 years old, colored, was drowned at 3:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon while swimming in Rock Creek, Georgetown. In trying to board the steamer River Queen at Washington at 6:30 o'clock yesterday evening, George Ouden, twenty-four years old, colored, lost his footing and fell into the river. He was drowned before assistance reached him.

Do not stay at home and suffer with the heat when for 5 cents you can see an interesting show and be fanned by the electric fans at the Alexandria Amusement Company tonight.

\$2.50, \$3, and \$3.50 Ladies' Shoes, in black and tan, low and high cut, mostly small sizes, offered for a few days only at 79 cents. J. A. Marshall & Bro.

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## RECONCILIATION.

Recently, it will be remembered, George L. Wright, a traveling salesman of Philadelphia, sent a communication to his wife, Lillian P. Wright, had deserted him and her two children and had come to Alexandria with Harvey Allen. On Saturday evening Mrs. Wright appeared at the station house and told Lieutenant Smith that she was stopping in Alexandria, but that she was not living with Allen nor had she any intention of doing so. About 6 o'clock yesterday morning Wright and his wife appeared at the station house when the husband begged his wife to return to their home and two children, Hattie, two years old, and George, aged five. Lieut. Smith acted as mediator between the estranged couple and a reconciliation followed, after which the young man and his wife left for Philadelphia. Wright went to police headquarters about 5 o'clock yesterday morning and requested the police to locate his wife. Officers Roberts and Garvey found Mrs. Wright at the home of Mrs. William E. Allen, 509 north Henry street. It is alleged by Wright that the woman eloped once before with Allen, whom she is said to have accompanied to Alexandria, and that they were arrested at Camden, N. J.

A dispatch from Baltimore dated last night says: George L. Wright and wife, of Philadelphia, were in a peculiar predicament here last night. They came down on an excursion yesterday morning to see the sights of Baltimore. Yesterday afternoon, when Wright lost his pocketbook, containing all his money and their return tickets, they appealed to the police for aid. The wife is nearly frantic with fear for her two children, whom they locked in their Ridge avenue home before they left this morning after providing the little ones with food enough to last them until their parents returned. The Baltimore police wired the Philadelphia police to go to the house and see that the children were cared for.

These may be the same people who left here yesterday morning.

## CHARGE AGAINST RAILWAY COMPANY.

Before his departure from Washington Secretary Taft referred the case of the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company to the attorney general for prosecution under the law. The case involves the employment of an overhead trolley by the railroad on the Washington approach to the Highways bridge. Lieut. Dent, the United States engineer in charge of the bridge, has reported to the War Department that the company is using the approach in violation of law in having failed to install a complete and satisfactory underground system.

## REV. W. F. WATSON ACCEPTS.

The Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor of the South Street Baptist Church, will tender his resignation to his congregation this morning. Mr. Watson resigns to accept a call to the First Baptist Church in Alexandria, where there is a larger field and a larger salary. Mr. Watson came to the South Street Baptist Church three years ago from Greensboro, N. C., and his ministerial work here has been successful.—[Norfolk Landmark, 21st.]

## POLICE COURT.

[Justice L. H. Thompson presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Joseph Davis, colored, charged with assaulting Lucy Shepherd, had his case continued.

Edward Sinclair, charged with disorderly conduct and fighting, was fined \$5.

W. D. Hudson and Stewart Simpson, charged with violating the Sunday laws, was fined \$2 each.

## FIGHT.

A fight took place late Saturday night in the neighborhood of the Stone Bridge between a saloonkeeper named Edward Sinclair and a young man named Kraus. A crowd gathered and considerable excitement ensued. Officer Talbot endeavored to stop the fight but he was unsuccessful. Sinclair was arrested and brought before the Police Court this morning and fined \$5. Kraus managed to leave the city before the officers could take him in custody.

## WARM WAVE.

The weather yesterday was sultry, the mercury having been well up in the nineties. There were indications of a heavy rain at times during the afternoon. There was, however, but a slight sprinkle here, the clouds having passed some distance south of this city. Between nine and ten o'clock at night a refreshing westerly breeze set in which was followed by another light rain, and lower temperature. The weather has been warm again today.

## FELL OVERBOARD.

Considerable merriment was caused among a large number of people who had gathered at the foot of Prince street late yesterday evening by the antics of several men who were in a batteau. The men began skylarking when two tumbled overboard. A third attempted to stand in the boat when it careened and he, too, fell into the dock.

## A. L. I.

Drills of the new Alexandria Light Infantry will be continued this week, tonight and Thursday night at eight o'clock in McBurney's Hall, and it is expected that by next week the company will be ready for the formal muster into the service of the State.

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## PERSONAL.

The many friends of Councilman C. B. Marshall will be pleased to hear that he is much better.

Rev. E. V. Register, presiding elder, preached in the Methodist Church in Warrenton last night.

Miss Kittie Barrett has returned from Europe, where she spent the past winter. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. Leadbeater and Mr. and Mrs. Gardner L. Boothe have leased "Vanclose," the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Andrews, on Seminary Hill, and will spend the remainder of the summer there.

Miss Louie Critcher, formerly of this city, but who has spent the past two years in Paris with her sister, Miss Catherine Critcher, is now the guest of her sister, Mrs. James D. Gatswood, in Washington.

Mr. Edward Walker, who has been in Georgia for the past five months, has returned to his home in this city for a short visit.

Miss Mary Chaudice Bentley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Bentley, was married at 8 o'clock Saturday evening to Mr. Francis Pole Robinson, son of Mrs. S. M. Robinson, of Sandy Spring, Md. Rev. Mr. Lafferty, of St. John's Episcopal Church, Olney, officiated. The house and lawn were decorated with flowers, candles and lanterns, the ceremony being performed under an arch on the lawn made of daisies. The bride was given in marriage by her father. A number of Alexandrians attended the wedding.

Mr. M. P. Vincent is ill at the Alexandria Hospital.

Mrs. J. H. Watkins has gone to Roerfort to spend a part of the summer. Mr. John T. Nalls left today for Purcellville to spend a week or two.

Mr. James Cline, of Richmond, is visiting relatives in this city.

Mr. George W. Cover, of Winchester, is ill at the Fleischmann Hotel.

Misses Janet and Carrie Wallace, of Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., are visiting their grandfather, Mr. J. Wallace Hoff, on Prince street.

Mr. Joseph L. Cropper, who attended as a delegate from the Eighth Virginia district the republican national convention, has returned from Chicago. He says he is not a candidate for postmaster of this city and would suggest to those who are the propriety of waiting till after the election of the next president.

Lieut. and Mrs. Wilson Browne, who have been the guest of Capt. Herbert Bryant, left last night for Norfolk.

Mrs. Julia McCaffery, of Salem, N. J., is visiting her son, Mr. Wm. J. McCaffery.

Mrs. Beverly D. Tucker, of Norfolk, is the guest of her sister, Miss Eleanor W. Howard.

## CHILDREN'S DAY SERVICES.

Children's Day was observed in the M. E. Church South at 11 a. m. yesterday when an interesting programme was rendered by children. There was a large attendance and all present greatly enjoyed the exercises. The following was the programme: Lay of Beauty and Blessing, by the school; prayer; announcements and collection; "Sing Joy, Joy, Joy," by the school; recitation, "God's Smile," Dorothy Bull; recitation, "Our Battles," Thomas Jones; Cluster of Violets, five little girls; "The Story of Love," by the school; recitation, "Little Things," Esther Mansfield; recitation, "The Bishop's Visit," Hurst Hayes; song, "The Daisies," primary class; "Bright June Sunshine," by the school; recitation, "Giving to Jesus," Sallie Crump; recitation, "Turn the Key," Marion Henshaw; "The Robin's Song," by the school; recitation, "Druidry Divine," Janet Rishale; Daisy Drill and recitation, thirteen girls; "In the Golden Sunshine Swaying," solo, Jessie Grimes and chorus by school; recitation, "Queer Boy," Ernest Riley; "The Blessing from the King," by the school; address, Rev. C. D. Bull; "O Praise the Lord," by the school; benediction.

Children's Day was observed in the Bethany Methodist Protestant Church last night. The service was under the auspices of the Sunday school and a carefully prepared and interesting programme was well-rendered.

## THE NEW BONDS.

Among the bond acceptances today was \$2,100 from a gentleman now living in Baltimore, and at one time at Harper's Ferry, West Va. These bonds were in 1879 registered in the name of the present owner. When sending out the circular letter one was addressed to the owner, at Harper's Ferry. Writing from his residence in Baltimore, he says: "I enclose my acceptance of the proposed plan for exchange of bonds. I regret my delay in this matter. It was due to my absence from the country. Kindly advise me whether the old bonds should be sent in."

The original owner of the \$2,100 was among the few persons who offered to, and did, fund his 1872 bonds in 1875 for a bond which represented fifty per cent. of its face, and six per cent. interest. It will be remembered that this plan of scaling the principal failed to recommend itself, and in 1879 all of the bonds issued in 1878 were called in, and the creditors placed on the same footing.

## THE RICHMOND HOWITZERS.

The Richmond Howitzers, under command of Capt. Myers, are expected to reach Alexandria tomorrow morning. As has been stated, the visitors will be entertained at Confederate Veterans' Hall, on Prince street, by R. E. Lee Camp of Confederate Veterans and the women of the Confederate auxiliary societies. Late in the afternoon, the Howitzers will return to Richmond by rail. The command will camp tonight at Annapolis and will reach this city between 10 and 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. They will be met before entering the city by a detail of Sons of Confederate Veterans, mounted, and will be escorted directly to the hall, where every arrangement for their entertainment has been made.

## HEARING TOMORROW.

The case of Creagan vs. the W. A. & M. V. Ry., a suit for damages resulting from the killing last year of a little son of Mr. M. Creagan, was set for trial in the Corporation Court, tomorrow, but owing to the improvements now being made to the court room and the temporary condition of that room the case may have to be postponed.

The mercury at noon today registered 90°.

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## ARREST WAS UNEXPECTED.

Charles Schneider, who is said to reside in the southeastern section of Washington, was placed under arrest Saturday afternoon in this city, and taken to Washington to answer a charge of passing a worthless check for \$8 on a merchant of that city about three weeks ago. Detective Mullen came to the city on an entirely different matter, and while passing a window and noticed Schneider at a table writing a letter. Mullen knew the man was wanted in Washington on the worthless check charge, and placed him in arrest. Schneider accompanied Mullen to police headquarters without protest, and was turned over to the Washington authorities.

## UNION EXCURSION.

The Union Sunday Schools of this city will give their eighteenth annual excursion to River View on Friday, June 26. The steamer Queen Anne, of the Washington and Potomac river line, will leave the Mutual Ice Company's wharf at 10:30 a. m., and 2:45 and 7 p. m. The date has been arranged to give the children, their parents and friends the annual outing, and the committee having it in charge will spare no pains to make it a grand success. Every accommodation will be offered to the children and parents for a good day's outing.

## WILL RETIRE.

It is understood that Mr. Thomas Hoy will retire from active business on the first of July and turn his affairs over to his son, Mr. Thomas C. Hoy. Mr. Hoy has been in the store and tinware business in this city for many years and his many friends will regret to learn of his retirement.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

A crab was caught near the mouth of Hunting creek yesterday.

The steamer Robert E. Lee has taken the place of the Trenton on the river route.

Some of the city physicians say they are not reporting as smallpox cases of rash which come to their attention.

The schooner Alice Helbrook and Jeannette Lippitt, from Maine, with ice for the Mutual Ice Company, have arrived.

The new gasoline launch, owned by Mr. William Moore, collided with a wharf last Saturday night and was seriously damaged.

At a meeting of the members of the First Baptist Church yesterday Messrs. J. M. Saunders and J. T. Preston were elected deacons.

George, the infant son of Mr. Warner and Mrs. Laura Langford, died at his parents' residence, No. 513 north Patrick street last night.

See the notice of the clerk of gas elsewhere in the Gazette. A discount of two cents per 100 feet will be allowed on bills paid on or before July 1.

The churches yesterday were only fairly well attended, the hot weather keeping many people at home. The services were as published on Saturday.

Eugene Lucas, who was dismissed in the Police Court last week on suspicion of forgery, desires to say that no change

of bigamy was preferred against him, as had been reported.

Mr. Fodder, living at Del Rey, Alexandria county, was painfully burned at his home yesterday morning by the explosion of a coal oil lamp. He was attended by Dr. Warfield, of this city.

Thieves entered Mr. M. R. O'Sullivan's store, corner of Franklin and Patrick streets, last Saturday night and stole several articles. The entrance was effected through the rear of the building.

Some excitement was caused in the southeastern portion of the city late Saturday evening by a report that a young man had swallowed laudanum with suicidal intent. The supposed victim of the drug was lying at the northwest corner of Gibbon and Royal streets. He later arose and walked away.

There will be another crab-picking tonight at Mr. Jacob Brill's restaurant, foot of King street. Deviled Crabs and home-picked crab meat.

Dr. Hicks, Eye Specialist, 113 north Washington street. Examination free. jeb4 120

Fried Clams 30c dozen. Vegetable soup Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; clam soup Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. mar5 14

All want the best. The Hess, Walk Over, Red Cross, and Queen Quality Shoes are to be had at J. A. Marshall & Bro's, 422 King street nov21 14

## LOST.

LOST—On Friday, the 19th, between city market and St. Asaph street, a KNIGHT TEMPLAR PIN. Reward if returned to Gazette office. jeh9 34

Excursion of  
Council of Jewish Women  
TO LUNA PARK  
TUESDAY, JUNE 23.  
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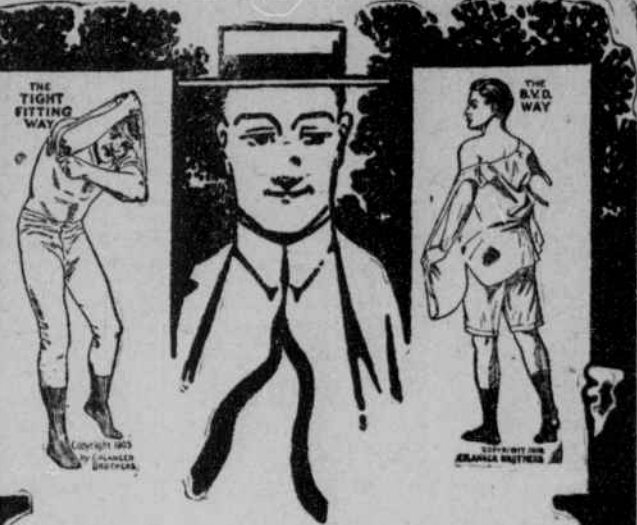
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## NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.

Gas bills for the quarter ending June 1, 1908, having been delivered, this is to notify all customers that the usual discount will be allowed on all bills paid on or before July 1, 1908. After that date no discount will be allowed and delinquents will be required to make early settlement. By order of the Committee on Light, J. E. WALLER, Clerk of Gas.

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